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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought, on the invention entitled DRUG SCREENING USING A PROLINE-RICH NUCLEAR RECEPTOR CO-REGULATORY PROTEIN/NUCLEAR RECEPTOR CO-EXPRESSION SYSTEM, the specification of which

[] is attached hereto.
[X] was filed on ______19 April 2000
Application Serial No. _____09/552,705
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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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| I hereby declare that the nonprofit organization identified above qualifies as a nonprofit organization as defined in 37 CFR 1.9(e) for purposes of paying reduced fees under Section 41(a) and (b) of Title 35, United States Code with regard to the invention entitled DRUG SCREENING USING A PROLINE-RICH NUCLEAR RECEPTOR CO-REGULATORY PROTEIN/NUCLEAR RECEPTOR CO-EXPRESSION SYSTEM by inventor(s) Shiuan CHEN and Dujin ZHOU described in [] the specification filed herewith [X] application serial no. 09/552,705, filed 19 April 2000 [] patent no |
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